

Gender Specific Gang Prevention-Intervention Training

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Date: Thursday, March 20th, 2008
Time: 1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.
Place: Rockville Library
1st Floor Conference Room
21 Maryland Ave
Rockville, MD 20850

Target Audience:

Human service providers that work, or interact, with gang-involved youth, including (but not limited to): educators, social workers, mentors/volunteers, clinical staff, counselors, and probation or parole officers. Administrators and other stakeholders would also benefit from participating in this session in order to change agency institutional policies as it related to girls and women that are gang-involved or in conflict with law.

Course Description:

After completing this session, participations will be able to:

- Assess current programs and services for their responsiveness to the needs and risk factors of gang involved girls and young women.
- Create an intervention strategy to address a specific skill and/or behavior identified in their service delivery area.
- Analyze the value statements in relationship to their own belief system as it relates to the girls and women they serve in their jurisdiction.
- Identify interventions to secondary stress, vicarious trauma, and compassion fatigue.

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